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In re Application of: J. Craig VENTER et al.

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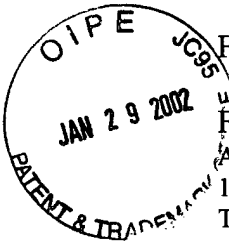
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For: DETECTION KITS, SUCH AS NUCLEIC ACID  
ARRAYS, FOR DETECTING THE EXPRESSION OF  
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**Response to Office Action and  
Transmittal Letter Providing Submission of CD-R**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed January 14, 2002, Applicants submit herewith CD-Rs labeled 728SeqList1, 728SeqList2 and 728Table. The CD-Rs contain the following files:

1. On 728 SeqList1 and 728 SeqList2 is the file SEQLIST 43006+2.TXT containing a copy of the sequence listing of the present application. File size is 180,628 KB, dated July 11, 2000.
2. On 728Table is the file 728\_Table\_1.TXT saved as an ASCII file. As such, it contains no new matter. File size is 111,490 KB, dated October 8, 2001.

The material contained on the CD-R (in duplicate) is hereby incorporated by reference pursuant to 37 CFR 1.77(b)(4).

It is respectfully believed that this application complies with all requirements and is now in condition for processing.

Respectfully submitted,  
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